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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

**Taxes (E) Department**

NOTIFICATION

G. O. Ms. No. 70/78/TD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 7th June,* 1978.

**S. R. O. No. 519/78.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Registration Act, 1908 (Central Act 16 of 1908), the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendments to the Notification published under G. O. Ms. No. 427/Rev. dated the 7th May, 1962 as S.R.O. No. 129/62 at pages 4 to 72 of the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 100 dated the 10th May, 1962, as subsequently amended, namely:—

AMENDMENTS

In the schedule to the said notification in the entries relating to the Registration District "Idukki" in column (1) for the items "2. Peermade",

and "3. Udumbanchola" incolumn (2) and the entries against them in columns (3) and (4), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

| (2) | (3) | (4) |
|---|---|---|
| "2. Peermade | Peermade | Mlappara |
| | do. | Periyar |
| | do. | Peermade |
| | do. | Pasupara |
| | do. | Perivamthanam |
| 2A. Kattappana | Udumbanchola | Ayyappancoil |
| | do. | Chakkupallom |
| | do. | Vandanmedu |
| | do. | Kalkoonthal |
| | Peermade | Elappara |
| 3. Udumbanchola | Udumbanchola | Santhampara |
| | do. | Chathurangapara |
| | do. | Udumbanchola |
| | do. | Parathodu |
| | do. | Pampadumpara. ". |

This notification shall come into force with effect from the first day of July 1978.

By order of the Governor,

C. P. Nair,
*Secretary to Government,*
*Taxes Department.*

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to serve its general purport).

It has been represented to Government that the people in Udumbanchola Taluk in Idukki District experience much difficulty in getting documents registered as they have to travel more than 45 Kms. to reach the existing Sub Registry Offices at Peermade and Udumbanchola and that a new Sub Registry Office may be opened at Kattappana. Government have examined the request in detail and are pleased to order that a new Sub Registry Office be opened at Kattappana. This notification is intended for the above purpose.

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**Local Administration & Social Welfare (Panchayat Election) Department**

## NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) 139/78/LA&SWD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 7th June* 1978.

**S. R. O. No.** 520/78.— In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 15, 15A, 15B, 15C and 129 of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960 (32 of 1960) and in supersession of the Kerala Panchayats (Publication of Electoral Rolls and Publication of List of Polling Stations) Rules, 1962, Published as S. R. O. No. 263/62 in the Kerala Gazette No. 35 dated 28-8-1962, the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (2) of section 130 of the said Act, namely:—

### Rules

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(i) These rules may be called the Kerala Panchayats (Preparation and Revision of Electoral rolls and Publication of List of Polling Stations) Rules, 1978.

(ii) These rules shall come into force at once.

2. *Definitions.*—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:—

(a) "Act" means the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960 (32 of 1960);

(b) "Election Authority" means such officer as may be authorised by the Government under sub-section (11) of section 2 of the Act;

(c) "Form" means a form appended to these rules;

(d) "Registration Officer" means the Registration Officer as may be authorised by the Election Authority for the purpose of these rules.

3. *Form and content of the electoral rolls.*—(1) The electoral roll for each Panchayat area shall be prepared in Form 1 in such language or languages as the Government may direct.

(2) (a) The names of electors in each part of the electoral roll shall be arranged according to house number unless the election authority, subject to any general or special instructions issued by Government, determines in respect of any part that the alphabetical order is more convenient or that the names shall be arranged partly according to house number and partly in alphabetical order.

(b) The names of electors in each part of the electoral roll shall be numbered so far as practicable consecutively with a separate series of numbers beginning with the number one.

4. *Preparation and Publication of Electoral Roll.*—(1) The Registration Officer shall arrange to prepare a draft of the electoral roll in accordance with the provisions of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960 and the directions issued by the Government under section 14 of the said Act.

(2) The draft electoral roll prepared under sub-rule (1) shall be published by the Registration Officer by making a copy thereof available for inspection and displaying a notice in Form 2.—

(a) at his office, if it is within the Panchayat area;

(b) in the Panchayat Office; and

(c) in the office of the Panchayat Inspector concerned.

(3) Every claim for the inclusion of a name in the electoral roll and every objection to an entry therein shall be lodged with in a period of fifteen days from the date of publication of the draft electoral roll under sub-rule (2).

(4) Every claim shall be—

(a) in Form 3; and

(b) signed by the person desiring his name to be included in the electoral roll; and

(c) countersigned by another person whose name is already included in the electoral roll.

(5) Every objection to the inclusion of a name in the electoral roll shall be—

- (a) in Form 4; and
- (b) preferred only by a person whose name is already included in that electoral roll; and
- (c) countersigned by another person whose name is already included in that electoral roll.

(6) Every objection to a particular or particulars in an entry in the roll shall be—

- (a) in Form 5; and
- (b) preferred only by the person to whom that entry relates.

(7) Every claim or objection shall—

- (a) either be presented to the Registration Officer or to such other officer as may be designated by him in this behalf; or
- (b) be sent by post to the Registration Officer concerned.

(8) Every Officer designated under clause (a) of sub-rule (7) shall—

- (a) maintain in duplicate a list of claims in Form 6, a list of objections to the inclusion of names in Form 7 and a list of objections to particulars in Form 8;
- (b) keep exhibited one copy of each such list on notice board in his office; and
- (c) after complying with the requirements of clauses (a) and (b) forward the claim or objection with remarks, if any, as he considers proper to the Registration Officer.

(9) The Registration Officer also shall—

- (a) maintain in duplicate the three lists in Forms 6, 7 and 8, entering thereon the particulars of every claim or objection as and when it is received by him whether directly under sub-rule (7) or on being forwarded under sub-rule (8); and
- (b) keep exhibited one copy of each of such list on notice board in his office.

(10) Any claim or objection which is not lodged within the period, or in the form and manner herein specified, shall be rejected by the Registration Officer.

(11) If the Registration Officer is satisfied as to the validity of any claim or objection, he may allow it without further inquiry after the expiry of one week from the date on which it is entered in the list exhibited by him under clause (b) of sub-rule (9):

Provided that where before any such claim or objection has been allowed, a demand for inquiry has been made in writing to the Registration Officer by any person, it shall not be allowed without further inquiry.

(12) Where a claim or objection is not disposed of under sub-rule (10) or sub-rule (11), the Registration Officer shall—

(a) specify in the list exhibited by him under clause (b) of sub-rule (9) the date, time and place of hearing of the claim or objection; and

(b) give notice of the hearing—

(i) in the case of a claim to the claimant in Form 9;

(ii) in the case of an objection to the inclusion of a name to the objector in Form 10 and to the person objected to in Form 11; and

(iii) in the case of an objection to a particular or particulars in an entry, to the objector in Form 12.

(13) A notice under clause (b) of sub-rule (12) may be given either personally or by registered post or by affixing it to the person's residence or last known residence within the Panchayat area.

(14) The Registration Officer shall hold a summary enquiry into every claim or objection in respect of which notice has been given under sub-rule (13) and shall record his decision thereon.

(15) At the hearing, the claimant or as the case may be, the objector and the person objected to and any other person who, in the opinion of the Registration Officer, is likely to be of assistance to him, shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

(16) The Registration Officer may in his discretion—

(a) require any claimant, objector or person objected to, to appear in person before him;

(b) require that the evidence tendered by any person shall be given on oath and administer an oath for the purpose.

(17) If it appears to the Registration Officer that owing to inadvertence or error, during preparation of the draft of the electoral roll the name of any of the elector has been left out of the electoral roll and that remedial action should be taken under this sub-rule, the Registration Officer shall—

(a) prepare a list of the names and other details of such electors;

(b) exhibit on the notice board of his office a copy of the list together with a notice as to the time and place at which the inclusion of these names in the electoral roll will be considered

and also publish the list and the notice in such other manner as he may think fit; and

(c) after considering any verbal or written objections that may be preferred, decide whether all or any of the names should be included in the electoral roll.

(18) The Registration Officer shall thereafter—

(a) prepare a list of amendments to carry out his decisions under sub-rules (11), (14) and (17) and correct any clerical or printing errors or other inaccuracies subsequently discovered in the electoral roll; and

(b) publish the electoral roll, together with the list of amendments by making a complete copy available for inspection and displaying a notice in Form 13 at his office.

(19) On such publication, the electoral roll together with the list of amendments and erratum shall be the electoral roll in force. Thereafter the election authority shall divide the electoral roll into separate parts for each ward and publish such wardwise electoral rolls in such places and in such manner as he may deem fit.

5. *Correction of entries and inclusion of names in electoral rolls.*—(1) Every application under section 15A or sub-section (1) of section 15B of the Act shall be made in duplicate in Forms 3, 5, 14 or 15 as may be appropriate and shall be accompanied by a fee of fifty paise.

(2) The fee specified shall be paid by means of non-judicial stamps.

(3) The election authority shall, immediately on receipt of such application, direct that one copy thereof be pasted in some conspicuous place in his office and in the office of Panchayat concerned together with a notice inviting objections to such application within a period of seven days from the date of such pasting.

(4) The Election Authority shall, as soon as may be after the expiry of the period specified in sub-rule (3) consider the objections, if any, received by him within the time prescribed and shall, if satisfied that the applicant is entitled to be registered in the electoral roll, direct his name to be included therein:

Provided that when an application is rejected by the Election Authority, he shall record in writing a brief statement of his reasons for such rejection.

6. *Appeals under section 15C of the Act.*—(1) Every appeal under section 15C of the Act shall be—

(a) in the form of a memorandum signed by the applicant;

(b) accompanied by a copy of the order appealed from and a fee of three rupees to be paid in non-judicial stamps; and

(c) presented to the Deputy Director referred to in sub-section (8) of section 2 of the Act with in a period of fifteen days from the date of order appealed from or sent by registered post so as to reach him within that period.

(2) For the purpose of sub-rule (1), an appeal, shall be deemed to have been presented to the Deputy Director, when the memorandum of appeal is delivered by or on behalf of the appellant to the Deputy Director himself or to any other officer appointed by him in this behalf.

7. *Revision of Electoral rolls.*—The revision of electoral rolls under section 15 of the Act shall be made in accordance with the procedure prescribed for the preparation of the electoral rolls.

8. *Sale of copies of electoral rolls.*—Copies of the electoral rolls together with the amendments and erratum made shall be kept for sale in the Panchayat Office, in the Office of the Inspector of Panchayats, in the Office of the Registration Officer and in the Office of the Returning Officer authorised to conduct the election to the Panchayats.

9. *Publication of list of Polling Stations.*—Within seven days from the date of publication of Electoral Rolls, any person authorised by the Election Authority shall, with the previous approval of the Election Authority, provide sufficient number of polling stations and shall publish a list thereof in the Form 16 showing the polling station or stations so provided for each ward and polling area for which they have been so provided and publish the same on the notice board of—

(a) his office; and

(b) the Panchayat Office; and

(c) the Village Office or offices if any, within the Panchayat area.

By order of the Governor,

N. Gopalakrishnan Nair,
*Special Secretary.*

## APPENDIX

### FORM 1

[*See* Rule 3 (1)]

........................Panchayat Roll, 19..........Part......

District........................Taluk................. ..........

No. and name of ward......................

| *Sl. No.* | *House No. and House name in brackets* | *Name of elector* | *Name of Father/ Mother/Karnavan/ Husband* | *Male or Female* | *Age as on 1st January 19....* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |

Electoral Registration Officer.

Sl. No. ....................................Panchayat Area.

Roll...........................19..................Part........

List of Amendments 19.........................(year)

## ADDITIONS

| *Sl. No.* | *House No. and House Name in brackets* | *Name of elector* | *Name of Father/ Mother/Karnavan/ Husband* | *Male or Female* | *Age as on 1st January 19....* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| | | | | | |

## CORRECTIONS

| *Sl. No. of entry* | *Name of elector* | *For (existing entry)* | *Read (correct entry)* |
|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| | | | |

## DELETIONS

| *Serial No. of entry* | *Name of elector* |
|---|---|
| (1) | (2) |
| | |

Electoral Registration Officer.

FORM 2

[*See* Rule 4 (2)]

**Notice of publication of Electoral Roll in Draft**

To

The Electors of the..............................Panchayat area.

Notice is hereby given that the Electoral roll has been prepared in accordance with the Kerala Panchayats (Preparation and Revision of Electoral Roll and Publication of List of Polling Stations) Rules, 1978 and a copy thereof is available for inspection at my office, and at ........................during office hours.

If there be any claim for the inclusion of a name in the rolls or any objection to the inclusion of a name or any objection to particulars in any entry, it should be lodged on or before the ......................19..............in Form 3, 4 or 5 as may be appropriate.

Every such claim or objection should either be presented in my office or to................................or sent by registered post to the address given below so as to reach me not later than the aforesaid date.

Electoral Registration Officer
(Address)

FORM 3

[*See* Rule 4 (4) (a)]

**Claim application for inclusion of name**

To

The Electoral Registration Officer,
..............................Panchayat area.

Sir,

I request that my name be included in the electoral roll for the Panchayat area mentioned above.

My name (in full) ........................My Father's/Mother's/Karanavan's/Husband's name ..............................

Particulars of my place of residence are:—

House No. Street Village
Post Office.

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I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief:

(i) that I am a citizen of India;

(ii) that my age on the first day of January was....... years and ................months;

(iii) that I am ordinarily resident at the address given above;

(iv) that I have not applied for the inclusion of my name in the electoral roll for any other Panchayat area;

(v) that my name has not been included in the electoral roll for other Panchayat area;

OR

that my name has been included in the electoral roll for the ..........Panchayat area in............and I request that the same may be excluded from the electoral roll.

Place ............ *Signature or thumb impression of Claimant.*
Date ............

I, being an elector whose name is included in Part.................... of the Electoral roll under Serial No................. support this claim and countersign it.

..............................
*Signature of the elector*
*Name* (*in full*)..................

*Note.*—Any person who makes a statement or declaration which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true is punishable under section 15E of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960.

FORM 4

[*See* rule 4 (5) (a)]

**Objection to inclusion of name**

To

The Electoral Registration Officer,
...................Panchayat area

Sir,

I object to the inclusion of the name of.................at serial No...... in part........................of the electoral roll for the following reason(s):—

[Here enter reasons]

I hereby declare that the factsmentioned above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

My name has been included in the electoral roll for this Panchayat area as follows:—

Name in full..................Father's/Mother's/Karanavan's/Husband's name............Serial No................Part No..........

Signature/thumb impression of objector (full postal address)

I, being an elector whose name is included in Part..............of the electoral roll under Serial No..............support this objection and countersign it.

Signature of the elector
Name (in full) ................

*Note.*—Any person who makes a statement or declaration which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true is punishable under section 15E of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960.

FORM 5

[*See* rule 4 (6) (a)]

**Objection to particulars in an entry**

To

The Electoral Registration Officer,
..............Panchavat area.

Sir,

I submit that the entry relating to myself which appears at Serial No. ..........................in part................of electoral roll as "......................" is not correct. It should be corrected to read as follows:

"..........................
......................"

..............................
Signature or thumb impression of the elector.

Date ............

FORM 6

[*See* rule 4 (8) (a)]

**List of Claims**

| *Date of receipt* | *Serial No.* | *Name of claimant* | *Name of Father/Mother/Karanavan/Husband* | *Place of residence* | *Date, time and place of hearing* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | *(6) |

* To be filled only by the Registration Officer and not by an Officer designated under rule 4 (7) (a).

FORM 7

[*See* rule 4 (8) (a)]

**List of objections to inclusion of names**

| *Date of receipt* | *Sl. No.* | *Full name of objector* | *Particulars of name objected to* | | | *Reasons in brief for objection* | *Date, time and place of hearing* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Part No.* | *Sl. No.* | *Name in full* | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | *(8) |

* To be filled only by the Registration Officer and not by an Officer designated under rule 4 (7) (a).

FORM 8

[*See* rule 4 (8) (a)]

**List of objections to Particulars in entries**

| *Date of receipt* | *Serial Number* | *Name in full of elector objecting* | *Part No. and Sl. No. of entry* | *Nature of objection* | *Date, time and place of hearing* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | *(6) |

* To be filled only by the Registration Officer and not by an Officer designated under rule 4 (7) (a).

FORM 9

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (i)]

**Notice of hearing of a claim**

Duplicate (Office copy)

To

(Full name and address of claimant)....................
Reference:— Claim No..................

Take notice that your claim for the inclusion of your name in the electoral roll will be heard at..............(place) at............O'clock on the ..............day of...............19.... You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place:
Date:

..............................
Electoral Registration Officer

FORM 9

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (i)]

**Notice of hearing of a claim**

Original (To be served on the claimant)

To

Reference:— Claim No...........

Take notice that your claim for the inclusion of your name in the electoral roll will be heard at............(place) at............O' clock on the...... day of 19.... You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place:
Date:

..............................
Electoral Registration Officer

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

**Received notice of the date of Hearing**

Date ............

..............................
(Claimant)

Certified that the notice on the claimant has been duly served by me this..............day of..............on (name)..................... personally/by affixation on residence.

Place ............
Date ............

..............................
Serving Officer

*N.B.*—If this notice is served by post, attach the receipt here.

FORM 10

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (ii)]

**Notice to the Objector**

Duplicate (Office copy)

To

(Full name and address of objector)..............................

Reference:— Objection No....................

Take notice that your objection to the inclusion of the name of........ will be heard at..........(place) at................O' clock on the...... day of......19.. You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place ............

Date ............

............................

Electoral Registration Officer

FORM 10

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (ii)]

**Notice to the Objector**

Original (To be served on the objector)

To

(Full name and address of objector)..............................

Reference:— Objection No......................

Take notice that your objection to the inclusion of the name of.......... will be heard at............(place) at ..........O'clock on the.......... day of..............19.. You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place ............

Date ...........

............................

Electoral Registration Officer.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE

**Received notice of the date of Hearing**

Date ............ ......................
Objector

Certified that the notice on the objector has been duly served by me this ..............day of............on (name)............................ personally/by affixation on residence.

Place ............ ..............................
Date ............ Serving Officer

*N. B.*—If this notice is served by post attach the receipt here.

FORM 11

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (ii)]

Duplicate (Office copy)

To

(Full name and address of person objected to)........................

Reference:— Objection No....................

Take notice that the objection to the inclusion of your name at serial No....in Part........of the electoral roll for........Panchayat area filed by (Full name and address of objector)....................will be heard at....................(place) at.............O'clock on the........ day of.........19.. You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce. The grounds of objections (in brief) are:—

(a) (b) (c)

Place ........ ....
Date . ....... .... ............................
Electoral Registration Officer.

FORM 11

[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (ii)]

(To be served on the person objected to)

Original

To

(Full name and address of person objected to). ......................
Reference:—Objection No. ...............

Take notice that the objection to the inclusion of your name at serial No. ............. in Part.......... of the electoral roll for........... Panchayat area filed by..............(Full name and address of objector) will be heard at........(place) at..........O' clock on the..........day of............19.. You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce. The grounds of objection (in brief) are:—

(a) (b) (c)

Place ............ ..............................
Date............ Electoral Registration Officer.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE

**Received notice of the date of hearing**

Date ....... .... ..............................
Person objected to

Certified that the notice on the person, the entry relating to whose name has been objected to has been duly served by me this ........ day of........ on (name)..........personally/by affixation on residence.

Place ............ .....................
Date .......... . Serving Officer

*N.B.*—If this notice is served by post attach the receipt here.

FORM 12
[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (iii)]

**Notice of hearing of an objection to particulars in entry**

Duplicate (office copy)

**To**

(Full name and address of objector).........................

Reference:— Objection No............

Take notice that your objection to certain particulars in the entry relating to you will be heard at............(place) at............O' clock on the day of..............19.... You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place ............
Date ............

...............................
Electoral Registration Officer

FORM 12
[*See* rule 4 (12) (b) (iii)]

Original (To be served on the objector)

**Notice of hearing of objection to particulars in entry**

To

(Full name and address of objector)........................

Reference:— Objection No..............

Take notice that your objection to certain particulars in the entry relating to you will be heard at............ (place) at..........O' clock on the..........day of........19..... You are directed to be present at the hearing with such evidence as you may like to adduce.

Place ............
Date ............

Electoral Registration Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE
**Received Notice of the date of hearing**

Date ............

..................
Objector

Certified that the notice on the objector has been duly served by me this..........day of........on (name)........personally/by affixing on residence in......

Place ............
Date ............

Serving Officer.

*N.B.*—If this notice is served by post attach the receipt here.

FORM 13

[*See* rule 4 (18) (b)]

**Notice of Final publication of electoral roll**

It is hereby notified for public information that the list of amendments to the draft electoral roll for the........Panchayat area has been prepared in accordance with the Kerala Panchayats (Preparation and Revision of Electoral Rolls and publication of list of Polling Stations) Rules 1978, and a copy of the said roll together with the said list of amendments has been published and will be available for inspection at my office.

Place ............ Electoral Registration Officer
Date ............ (Address)

FORM 14

[*See* rule 5 (1)]

**Application for Transposition of entry in electoral roll**

To

The Election Authority............Panchayat area

Sir,

I submit that the entry at Serial No......Part No......of the electoral roll for the above mentioned Panchayat area relating to (myself, namely)........ son/wife/daughter of........should be transposed to Part No........of his roll, because I have/the said elector has/changed my/his/her place of ordinary residence to..........which is within the same Panchayat area.

I declare that I am an elector of this Panchayat area being enrolled at Serial No..........in Part No..........of the roll.

Place ............ Signature /thumb impression of applicant

Date ............ (full postal address)

*Note.*—Any person who makes a statement or declaration which is false or which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true is punishable under section 15E of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960.

FORM 15

[*See* rule 5 (1)]

**Application for deletion of entry in electoral roll**

To

I submit that the entry at Serial No..........in Part No........of the electoral roll for the above mentioned Panchayat area relating to Shri/Shrimati ..................son/wife/daughter of............requires to be deleted as the said person is (strike out the inappropriate words) dead/is no longer ordinarily resident in this locality/is entitled to be registered in the electoral roll for the following reasons.

..........................................................................

..........................................................................

I hereby declare that the facts mentioned above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I declare that I am an elector of this Panchayat area being enrolled at Serial No..............in Part No............of the roll.

Place ............
Date ............

Signature/thumb impression of objector.

(full postal address).

*Note.*—Any person who makes a statement of declaration which is false or which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true is punishable under section 15E of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960.

FORM 16

(*See* Rule 9)

**List of Polling Stations**

PANCHAYAT

| *Sl. No.* | *Locality of Polling Station* | *Building in which it will be located* | *Polling area, Name and number of ward* | *Total number of votes assigned* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | |

**Place:**

Date:

Signature and Designation of the Officer.

## Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification but is intended to indicate its general purport.).

Section 14 of the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960 as it stood prior to its amendment by the Local Authorities Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 1978, provided for the adoption of the relevant portions of the electoral rolls of the Legislative Assembly Constituency for the purpose of elections to the Panchayats. The · electoral rolls of the Legislative Assembly Constituencies are those prepared under the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950 and under that Act, only persons who are not less than twenty-one years of age are entitled to be registered in the electoral rolls.

Government have decided that the voting age for the election to the local bodies in the State be reduced to 18 years. For implementing the decision, the Kerala Panchayats Act, 1960 has been amended by issue of the Local Authorities Laws (Amendment) Ordinance 1978, providing for preparation and revision of the electoral rolls for the Panchayat areas separately and periodically independent of the electoral rolls for the Legislative Assembly Constituencies. Rules have to be made under sections 15, 15A, 15B, 15C and 129 of the Act prescribing the manner of preparation, publication and revision of electoral rolls for panchayat areas.

This Notification is intended to achieve the above object.

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**Health (G) Department**

NOTIFICATION

No. 12609/G3/78/HD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 1st June, 1978.*

**S. R. O. No. 521/78.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (viii a) of Section 2 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (Central Act 37 of 1954), the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendment to the notification No. 24096/G3/76/HD. dated 10th April, 1976 published as S. R. O. No. 414/76 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 237 dated 10-4-1976, namely:—

AMENDMENT

In the said notification after item (7) the following item shall be added, namely:—

"(8) in the case of Municipalities having neither a Health Officer nor a Commissioner, the Special Officer appointed for the Municipality, till such time as a Health Officer or Commissioner is appointed and take charge".

By order of the Governor,

P. V. BALAKRISHNAN,

*Additional Secretary.*

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification but is intended to indicate its general purport.).

In the case of newly constituted Municipalities, Special Officers are exercising the functions of Commissioner. No Health Officers are appointed immediately in these Municipalities. It is therefore necessary to declare the Special Officer as the Local Health Authority. The notification is for the above purpose.

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**Health (G) Department**

NOTIFICATION

No. 54568/G3/78/HD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 2nd June, 1978.*

**S. R. O. No. 524/78.**—Under sub-section (1) of Section 20 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (Central Act 37 of 1954) the Government of Kerala hereby authorise all the Executive Officers of Panchayats to institute prosecutions in respect of the offences under item (v) of Section 7 of the said Act within the local areas under their jurisdiction.

By order of the Governor,

P. V. BALAKRISHNAN,
*Additional Secretary.*

33/1878/MC.

## Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification but is intended to indicate its general purport).

At present the Food Inspectors are being authorised to launch prosecutions under the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act. It has been pointed out that it may not be possible for a Food Inspector to launch prosecution against unlicenced traders in addition to adulteration cases. It is therefore proposed to authorise the Executive Officers of the Panchayats to launch prosecutions for offences regarding manufacture, sale, distribution etc., of food without valid licence.

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**Health (G) Department**

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 25333/G3/78/HD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 1st June 1978*

(i)

**S. R. O. No. 522/78.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 9 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (Central Act 37 of 1954), the Government of Kerala hereby appoint Shri P. Krishnankutty Nair, Health Inspector Grade II, Nedumangad Municipality to be Food Inspector for the purposes of the said Act and assign to him the area within the Nedumangad Municipality as the local area within which he shall exercise his powers under the said Act.

(ii)

**S. R. O. No. 523/78.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 20 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (Central Act 37 of 1954), the Government of Kerala hereby authorise Shri P. Krishnankutty Nair appointed as Food Inspector under sub-section (1) of section 9 of the Act in the Nedumangad Municipality to institute prosecutions for offences under the said Act.

By order of the Governor,

P. V. BALAKRISHNAN,
*Additional Secretary.*

33/1877/MC.

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification but is intended to indicate its general purport).

Shri P. Krishnankutty Nair has been transferred and posted as Health Inspector, Nedumangad Municipality. It is necessary to appoint him as Food Inspector under the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act and to authorise him to institute prosecution for offences under the Act. The Notifications are for the above purpose.

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